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SUBJ: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS - PRE-UNGA CONSULTATIONS

REF: (A) STATE 220772, (B) STATE 220773, (C) STATE 239400

1. AMBASSADOR MADE REPRESENTATIONS REQUESTED REFTELS TO PERMSEC MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS COLERIDGE-TAYLOR ON SEPTEMBER 17. AFTER PROVIDING FRAMEWORK OF US OBJECTIVES UNGA (PARA 4, REF A), SPECIFIC MENTION WAS MADE OF US POSITION ON SOUTHERN AFRICA, ZIONISM/RACISM, CYPRUS, WESTERN SAHARA, UNCTAD IV ISSUES, UN BUDGET AND RESTRUCTURING, AND EXTERNAL EVALUATION MECHANISM. FURTHERMORE, IN THIS DISCUSSION AND ONE PROVIOUS ONE WITH FOREIGN MINISTER MINAH, USG POSITION ON KOREA WAS REHASHED AND REQUEST MADE THAT GOSL SUPPORT OUR RESOLUTION.

2. COLERIDGE-TAYLOR'S REACTION WAS GENERALLY NON-COMMITTAL BUT NOT CONTENTIOUS. EMBASSY BELIEVES GOSL WILL FOLLOW OAU AND GROUP OF 77 POSITIONS ON MOST ISSUES. ONLY SUBJECT HE VOLUNTEERED WAS TO QUERY USG POSITION ON FUTURE CONFERENCE ON WORLD DISARMAMENT WHICH HE FELT TO BE A MAJOR ACTION ITEM IN WAKE OF NON-ALIGNED SUMMIT.

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3. ON KOREA, FOR WHAT VP'S WORTH NOW, MINAH AND COLERIDGE-

TAYLOR SEEMED TO INDICATE THAT THERE WAS SOME LIKLIHOOD THAT  
GOSL WOULD MOVE AWAY FROM LAST YEAR'S ABSTAINING AND MIGHT  
VOTE FOR OUR RESOLUTION.  
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